Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar.—

(1)	Anjikaimal	District Court	17
	Trichur	do	7
	Ernakulam	Munsiff's Court	1
	Cochin	do	88
	Cranganur	do	45
	Irinjalakkuda	do	..
	Trichur	do	42
	Vadakkancheri	do	61
	Chittur	do	31
		Total	292
(2)	Anjikaimal	District Court	17
	Trichur	do	11
	Ernakulam	Munsiff's Court	3
	Cochin	do	110
	Cranganur	do	43
	Irinjalakkuda	do	8
	Trichur	do	51
	Vadakkancheri	do	59
	Chittur	do	31
		Total	333

Emergency Ward—Kattur Dispensary.

338. Mr. Paul Mampilli.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) have the Government received petitions from the public of Kattur and the neighbouring villages praying for the immediate construction of the Emergency Ward for the Kattur Dispensary sanctioned by the Government and provided for in the current year's budget;

(b) has the work been started; if not, what is the cause for the delay?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—(a) Yes.

(b) No. Estimate are being prepared by the Public Works Department.

Civil Surgeon's appointment.

339. Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether any of the Assistant Surgeons in State service protested against the appointment of Dr. T. Verghese as Civil Surgeon, for overlooking his claims. If so, which Assistant

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